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| <b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b><br>This application is a 371 of PCT/JP03/10058 08/07/2003<br>which claims benefit of 60/410,792 09/16/2002  |   |                                  |   |                                      |                                |
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| <b>ADDRESS</b><br>23373   |   |                                  |   |                                      |                                |
| <b>TITLE</b><br>Filled skutterudite-based alloy, production method thereof and thermoelectric conversion device fabricated using the alloy  |   |                                  |   |                                      |                                |
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